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REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

In response to the Office Action dated September 22, 2004, the period for response to which is extended to January 22, 2005 by the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.